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Before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

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In re Patent Application of

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Serial No. 10/074,235

Examiner: Schwartz

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Title: DAMPER AND AUTOMOBILE SEAT HAVING THE DAMPER

Commissioner for Patents
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☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.

☒ **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting applicant's claim(s). (\$ 340.00) \$ 340.00

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